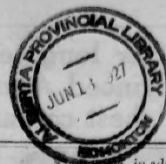


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Around the Town

Mr. and Mrs. F. Phelps spent the week-end at Trochu.

C. I. Cabanna, locomotive foreman at Big Valley, has been transferred to Mirror.

F. E. Murray and W. J. Good of Big Valley, were in town on Sunday.

Dr. A. M. Watson, Dentist, will be at the Mirror Hotel from Monday, June 20th to Wednesday, June 22.

Don't forget the stores close at 1 p.m. during June, July and August.

H. J. Snell, Optometrist, will be at the W. I. building, Mirror, on Friday, June 24th, and every third Friday of the month thereafter.

All subscriptions due to The Mirror Mail up to June 30th, must be settled by that date. After that they will be turned over to the Publishers' Protective Association for legal collection.

The annual congregational meeting of the Mirror United Church was held on Sunday evening at the close of the regular service. The report of the Sec-Treas., Mr. J. W. Spence, showed conditions to be in good shape with the amount of the regular budget raised and some surplus towards next year. On motion of Mr. H. C. Brewster the present officers were re-elected for the ensuing year.

Rev. R. G. Wood spent Tuesday in Camrose taking part in the services for the ordination of a deaconess of the United Church at that point. Mr. Wood is also taking charge of the induction service of Rev. Peter Dawson B.A., B. D. at Sedgewick this week.

We have been asked to draw the attention of the telephone subscribers to the fact that the only obstacle to continuous service is the arrears of the present subscribers and the signed application with the installation fee and first month's rental of the new subscribers. It is to be hoped that this will be done immediately.

On account of July 2nd being a holiday, the regular meeting of the W. I. will be held on Saturday, June 25th. Pioneer stories by Mrs. W. C. McCormack and Mrs. A. J. Ray.

Construction will be started shortly, it is announced, on the 2400 000 bushel elevator to be erected by the Alberta Wheat Pool at Vancouver, and it is expected that the big plant will be ready to handle grain from the 1927 crop.

A gain of 74 telephone stations is reported by the department in the month of May. Continuous service has been instituted during

Spring Samples

HAVE ARRIVED

There are many patterns to choose from

Leishman and Semi-Ready \$25.00 and up

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Mirror, Alberta

Business Men Take Wed. Half Holiday

We the undersigned agree to close our places of business between the dates of June 1st and August 31st, on every Wednesday afternoon from the hour of 1 p.m. in accordance with the general custom of the summer half holiday.

J. F. Flewelling
McCormack Lumber Co.
McNair Bros.
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N. J. Duveraux, except evening and for prescriptions
J. W. Trotter
Mirror Mail

The Second Annual Alberta Crop Report

In spite of rains in some sections of the Province during the last two weeks, which have delayed work on the land for several days, rapid progress generally has been made with seeding. Wheat seeding in practically all districts has been completed and early-planted grain in many fields is covering the ground. Drills are still busy with oats and barley. Taking the province as a whole it is estimated that fully 75 per cent. of these grains have been sown and the remainder will be completed within the next ten days.

This year throughout the province in the growing of alfalfa, sweet clover and the other fodder crops. Pastures are reported to be in better than average condition and livestock generally is doing well, although some losses have occurred in the lamb crop as a result of the wet weather over much of the sheep range area of the south.

Precipitation during the month of May over the province has been above the average mark and now only warm growing weather is required to bring along a splendid crop, prospects for which are generally regarded as very promising.

The first fish net factory to operate in Canada is being started here by the Canadian Fish Net Co., Ltd., financed by Canadian capital and employing Canadian labor. Hitherto the nets used by Canadian fishermen have been imported from Europe and the United States, which has at times entailed heavy losses owing to late deliveries.

Grain left Montreal for seventeen different countries in the 1926 season. Great Britain imported the heaviest extent, followed in order by Holland, Germany, Belgium, Italy, France, Norway, Greece, Ireland, Portugal and South Africa. Great Britain took 39,291,763 bushels or 51 per cent. of the total exports from the Port, being also the heaviest purchaser of oats. Norway and Holland were the two largest buyers of rye.

The grain harvest of 1926 has left more money in the country than the greater harvest and somewhat higher prices of 1925, according to N. M. Paterson, president of the Paterson Steamship Company, and owner of a hundred country elevators in the West, with one other city elevator now being built at a contract cost of \$800,000 at Fort William. Mr. Paterson, who was interviewed at the Windsor Hotel in Montreal recently, having arrived from Winnipeg, is travelling with his father and mother, wife, six children and two nurses by Canadian Pacific route, land and steamship, to England with a view to staying at Bournemouth for the next three months.



The Red Cross appeals to YOU for support

SINCE the War, the Red Cross has disbursed over Seven Million Dollars for the Soldiers, Women, Children and Frontier Families of Canada.

About half of this has been spent for disabled soldiers—half in the other services of the Society about which you have been told. The Treasury is almost empty.

\$1,000,000 Needed Now for Red Cross Work

The Red Cross brings cheer to our disabled warriors and their families. It stimulates the children of Canada to healthy living and good citizenship. It relieves suffering, and brings skilled attention to Canada's frontier districts remote from other aid. Its work is indispensable.

It now appeals to YOU, as a patriotic and humane Canadian citizen, to contribute generously to its need for funds.

Nation-Wide Appeal Canadian Red Cross Society

Send Contributions for
Alberta Division, Canadian Red Cross Society,
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Saturday June 18 Grand Theatre

Show at
8.15 p.m.
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TOM MIX and TONY in The Great K. & A. Train Robbery

Tom and Tony will once again ride into your heart in this cyclonic thriller that'll chill you to the marrow. Watch the Star of the West riding amid a rain of bullets in running down a gang of railroad desperadoes.

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Friday and Saturday, June 17 and 18

Admission—Adults 30c, Children 15c; Tax Extra

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Straw and Sawdust

Making Straw Pulp on the Farm and Tiles at the Saw Mill

Canada is a very progressive country and new inventions where practical receive every encouragement here. It is not the newer countries that always lead the way, however, and the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa, draws attention to very interesting reports from France, taken from its files of the Canadian Trade Commissioners in Paris in which it is told how two articles of practically no economic value here, have been put to use by the scientific and thrifty French. The two substances in question are straw and sawdust, substances which Canada possesses in possibly greater quantity per head of population than any other country. The two products which the French obtain from these raw and hitherto wasted materials are tiles and paper. The process are said to be simple and can be adapted to the farm or wherever the material is most cheaply available.

A process by which light and beautiful tiles may be made from sawdust (or sand) and inexpensive chemicals is said to be in successful operation, no plaster, lime or cement being used, nor heat nor pressing equipment required. The enamel is first spread over the mould, then the mass which has been reduced to a sort of batter, is poured over it and the desired thickness is reached and the whole allowed to set. In twenty-four hours the tiles are hard enough to remove from the moulds and within a week are ready for use. Tiles of any size or thickness may be made and reinforcing may be introduced if required. Many advantages are claimed for this product which in France is usually made from ordinary sand rather than sawdust. These tiles have the feel and appearance of ordinary tiles and take the same brilliant glaze and decorations and may be manufactured on the spot where they are to be used.

For many years straw has been a waste material for strawboard, corrugated and wrapped papers, etc., but the expense and the inconveniences of transporting the straw to the factory has been against its proper utilization. The new process it is claimed, makes it possible to transform the straw into pulp on the farm, thus saving freight and handling, since it required over three tons of dry straw to produce one ton of pulp. In addition it leaves an important by-product, oxalic acid. It is said that the plant required is inexpensive and the process sufficiently simple to permit of its being carried on right at the source of supplies without the necessity of complicated machinery or expert supervision.

The possibilities of these two processes should be of unique interest to Canadian farmers and wood-working interests. If they can be practically applied to Canadian conditions, and there is considerable evidence to show that the processes being tried out in France are practical, then a new and valuable source of income will have been indicated for two of the most basic industries in this country.

Poison Honey Taken From Alpine Flower

Cattle Seldom Approach Blossoms Because of Injurious Effects

Poison or deadly honey taken from the Alpine rose, a form of rhododendron whose blossoms give off an odor that causes dizziness in human beings. Cattle seldom approach the flower because of its injurious effects.

Many, in one of his works, wrote about this honey. Xenophon in the Anabasis tells of the trouble that befell Greek soldiers after eating poisonous honey. Strabo also refers to it when he writes of the Hephalkometes overpowering Pompey's troops by placing heavy-filled dishes along the paths taken by the soldiers.

Lady—"What are these plants these?"

Man—"They are tobacco plants in full bloom."

Lady—"How interesting! How long will it be before the cigars are ripe?"

Lorna Doone never lived and the romance of that name was founded on a myth, according to research workers.

If a man doesn't marry a woman because she is pretty or because she has money, it is pretty sure sign that he's in love with her.

Grand Manitoulin in Lake Huron was regarded as the home of departed spirits by North American Indians.

Nicholas Flood Davin

A Notable and Unique Figure in Canadian Public Life

Among the brilliant galaxy of Old Countrymen who early in life came to Canada and achieved it in their country, was Nicholas Flood Davin, an educated and gifted Irishman, who for many years made the Middle West his home. With the exception of Chief Justice Haultain of Saskatchewan, and Dr. Hreut, late Lieutenant-governor of Alberta, he was the most conspicuous pioneer figure in that country.

Davin was born in Killybegs, Ireland, where his father's regiment happened to be stationed at the time. In 1832, he received a first-class classical education and in 1848, was called to the Middle Temple Bar. Journalism, however, was more to his liking and he began his journalistic career as reporter in the Press-Gazette, House of Commons, London. During the Franco-German war he was war correspondent of the Irish Times and London Standard, being wounded at the siege of Maastricht. A spectacular incident of his war experience was his escape in a balloon from Paris at the time of the brief Communist regime.

Having been thrown from his horse and injured while hunting, he came to Canada on sick leave, but liking the country and becoming interested in its politics, he decided to remain. His first assignment was the Toronto Globe as special writer on European topics and literary and social matters. He soon identified himself with the Conservative Party taking an editorial post on the old Mail, then the chief organ of the Conservatives. His first article of oratory in a special degree and a knowledge of public affairs, he took an important part in the National Policy campaign prior to the elections of 1878. He himself was an unsuccessful candidate for Parliament.

His first visit to Canada was in 1871. He was admitted to the Ontario Bar, and among his important cases was his defence of Bennett, who in 1859 assassinated the Hon. George Brown.

Subsequent to 1878 he was entrusted by the Government with a number of important commissions. In the course of which he went to Winnipeg. The vast spread of the prairies appealing to his poetic imagination, and in 1882, the C.P.R. being in course of construction and the prospects at the time in doubt, he was asked to report on the feasibility of the project. He there established the Leader, one of the first papers to be published in the territory at present comprising the provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta. His influence was exerted to the full in developing the territories of the West. He was then known as the "Irishman in Canada." He wrote poetry with ease and charm. Altogether, Nicholas Flood Davin was a notable and somewhat unique figure in Canadian public life.

Quite Easy to Find

Absent-minded Prof. Smith left his berth in the sleeper to find a drink of ice water, and was hopelessly lost in the middle of the aisle. It was about midnight and the train was speeding through the country.

"Don't you remember the number of your berth?" asked the conductor.

"Ten—er—afraid not," was the reply.

"Well, haven't you any idea where it was?"

"Why, uh—oh, yes, to be sure." The professor brightened perceptibly. "I did notice one time this afternoon that the windows looked out upon a little lake!"

"I had no idea," said Ethel to Edith, "that profanity was so ripe until I drove a car." "Do you hear much of it on the street?" asked Edith. "Yes, nearly every time I bump into someone he swears dreadfully."

Pleanty of faith should be mixed with the other ingredients in a doctor's prescription.

People are seldom on time; they are either early or late.

New Plane Safe As Liner

Could Cross Ocean in 16 Hours Carrying 170 Passengers Says Expert

Professor Rumpier, head of the Rumpier Airplane Construction Company of Dessau, Germany, who is considered one of the best authorities on airplane construction, believes that transatlantic flights can be put on a commercially practical basis by building planes many times the size and power of the present ones. He states he has prepared plans for a machine capable of crossing the Atlantic in sixteen hours, carrying 170 passengers, and propelled by a battery of ten motors, each generating 1,000 horsepower.

His estimates show any four motors could suffice to function without affecting the plane's lifting power. He would speed the craft up to 100 miles per hour, planned a year ago, in favor of the larger craft, believing the present plane will soon dwindle within a decade.

Professor Rumpier says he has worked for the last five years on his new plans. With a machine of this type trans-ocean flying would not entail more risks than crossing by liner, he believes. Even in case of a forced landing at sea, the craft would be assured of comfortable living quarters until help was summoned by radio.

Air Machine Resembles Bicycle

Invention of Andover Man Is Not Yet Fully Developed

Julius E. Palmer of Andover, England, an electrical engineer, has become known here as "bicycle man of the air."

Palmer for months has been making experimental flights with a one-man propelled flying machine which is a rough design of an air bicycle which he hopes soon to perfect.

Numerous flights of a mile or more at the height of 20 or 40 feet have been made by Palmer in his "aerial bicycle" with fan-shaped paddles strapped to his arms and suspended by a small balloon.

"The air bicycle" which I am building," said the engineer, "consists of an aluminum frame weighing three pounds, suspended below a clear shaped air bag. To the front of the frame is a propeller, driven by gear and chain from the cycle pedals, and at the rear is an elevator and rudder."

Palmer estimated that he would be able to make about 25 miles an hour in still air with this machine.

Animals that occasionally are fed candy are much more easily handled than those which never have tasted sweets, says a big game hunter and zoologist.

It is difficult to settle a case in court while the litigants have any money.

It takes some pretty hard facts to make an impression on a soft-headed man.

Labrador has the most spectacular coast scenery in all America.

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Wealth in Dead Sea

Extraction of Mineral Salts Will Yield Rich Revenue

Once more the project of treating the Dead Sea for its mineral wealth is to the fore, and this time it has the solid endorsement of the British Colonial Office, which is going to grant a twenty-five-year concession to a syndicate. The scheme is a simple one. The water is to be pumped into pans ashore, and there evaporated, leaving various salts as a residue. The separation of these salts would be a comparatively simple chemical process. In the construction of forty miles of new railway through the Jordan Valley to connect with existing lines would be an essential to transportation of the salts recovered.

Salt has been taken from the Dead Sea by the most primitive methods for centuries, and sold in Jerusalem and elsewhere. In fact, the tribes of Bedouins who inhabit the region in which the Dead Sea lies have carried on a profitable business in the smuggling of salt for generations. It was a monopoly under the Turkish regime, but since the British occupation and mandate this has all been stopped. Even then practical, up-to-date, scientific organization, run on business principles, is likely to reap a rich harvest, as the waters of the Dead Sea are 25 per cent. salts, as compared with from 4 to 6 per cent. in ordinary sea water.

Two Former Newspaper Women Enthusiastic Over Their Work

Miss Grace McGraw, of Vancouver, is an enthusiast over farming for women. A year ago she resigned her position with the publicity department of the Canadian Pacific Railway and joined Miss Dorothy Bell in a farming venture in the Ladner, B.C. district. Prior to this time Miss Bell had been a member of the Vancouver Province staff, and later associate editor of Maclean's Magazine and associate editor of a United States magazine published in New York.

Last year the two young farmers concentrated on bean growing. Their experiences provided them not only with a fair profit, but with material for an excellent story.

Mindful of the Future

The worst advice on China comes from many of the foreigners engaged in trading there. They are thinking only of their own interests, and berate their own governments for taking wider views. The British Government is being violently abused by this selfish element because it refuses to copy the old methods of subterfuge, diplomacy. It is mindful of the future when the good will of the Chinese people may be indispensable.

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Many a young man doesn't know he is in love until the girl in the case hands him the information in a diplomatic way.

Algonquin Park, in Ontario, is known wherever fishermen forgettable as the haunt of fighting fish, and each year its waters are attracting more and more anglers in search of real sport. When the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Editors hold their annual convention at Algonquin this year many of them, it is expected, will make life trips to Algonquin Park to enjoy fishing trips—Canadian National Railway photographs.

Marvels Yet to Come

Inventions, indeed, are following one another so fast that the imagination is left behind in wondering what marvels lie in store for us. We need not suppose that wireless and electricity have as yet revealed nearly all their secrets or that what has already been discovered is any more remarkable than what remains to be discovered.—London Daily Mail.

Florence—"How do you like the looks of young Zipper?"

Betty (sighing)—"He never gives me any."

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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Reports from the north side of the Island of Jamaica said a heavy northerly storm had destroyed 25,000 banana trees.

Thirty-seven earth tremors were felt recently in Yugoslavia within 48 hours. Some lives were lost in panics caused by the quakes and considerable material damage was reported.

A memorial patch erected by the Canadian Women's Press Club to the memory of the late Col. George Ham, famous Canadian journalist, who founded the club has been unveiled at Wilby, Ont.

Canada's flag floated over the Canadian legation at Washington on Victoria Day. It was the first time that it was officially displayed in Washington, Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian minister, having used the Union Jack on previous occasions.

Professor Hugh Edward Egerton, noted authority on British colonial history, is dead at Oxford at the age of 72. Professor Egerton was professor of colonial history at Oxford for 15 years. He was the author of many books on British colonial policy and development.

According to a story in the Toronto Star, Captain Charles Lindbergh's family can claim relationship to William Lyon Mackenzie, and therefore the famous New York-Paris flier is related to Premier Mackenzie King of Canada. His grandfather was Charles H. Lind, born in Simcoe.

Mike Webster, 35, aviator and stunt flier, plunged 4,000 feet to his death at Muskogee, Mich., in full view of his 61-year-old mother and a large crowd of spectators. Webster lost his grip on his parachute bar as the big bag opened. Mrs. Webster fell unconscious.

The effect that aetheric horridities, called the Northern Lights, has upon radio transmission is being studied by the National Research Council of Canada. The associate committee on physics and engineering of the council met at Ottawa and recommended that research work in this matter be undertaken.

Will Construct Seadromes

Landing places for seaplanes to be anchored in Atlantic Ocean.

The Philadelphia Public Ledger says that an announcement was made by Edward R. Armstrong, inventor of Wilmington, Del., that work would be started within 60 days on a test "seadrome," or landing field to be anchored in the Atlantic Ocean as a station for trans-Atlantic seaplanes.

Mr. Armstrong was quoted as having said that plans were under way for the formation of a transoceanic flying organization. He intimated this organization might be headed by Captain Charles A. Lindbergh. The test seadrome, The Public Ledger says, will be about 150 feet square, and will be anchored at a point 500 miles slightly north and east of New York. If the test proves effective eight full size seadromes will be built, each 1,200 feet long, at a cost of \$1,500,000 each.

A New Building Material

A new material called celotex is being made from the refuse of sugarcane, and is being used in some parts of Australia for building houses. Some parts of the Federal Parliament House in Canberra have been built of celotex, and model houses have been built at Canberra and other towns to demonstrate its value.

The skeleton of a gigantic animal that lived about 3,000,000 years ago has been discovered by engineers who are building a railroad between Turkistan and Siberia. The beast is believed to have been a sauropod.

Canada has within its borders the largest inland sea after the Mediterranean—Hudson Bay. This is a Canadian Mediterranean, as large as three Italies.

Lightning. Instead of being flat and jagged, as it appears, really it is spiral, and wanders around and around in space before it exhausts itself or strikes something.

Research Laboratory at Lacombe. A research laboratory is to be established this year at Lacombe, for the purpose of making a survey of plant problems within the province.

The average man is more polite to people he never expects to meet again than to those whose friendship is really worth cultivating.

Coyotes will hunt silently for hours for field mice, a park naturalist in the West says.

W. N. U. 1683

Extend Period Of
Aviation AgreementU.S. and Canadian Airmen Cross
Border on Defined Conditions

The existing agreement between the United States and Canadian governments by which aviators of either country may fly into the territory of the other under certain defined conditions has been extended until October 31. The extension of the agreement was accomplished by an exchange of notes between the State Department and the Canadian Legation.

The agreement has been in effect since 1922. It provides that when an American aviator desires to fly into Canada he shall give notice in advance to the secretary of the Canadian Air Board at Ottawa, giving the date of the proposed flight, the owner's name and address, the pilot's name and qualifications, type of machine to be used, the route and duration of the flight and the purpose for which it is to be undertaken. The procedure is the same for Canadian flyers desiring to visit the United States by air.

T. E. Chester, Manager, Hotel Saskatchewan, Regina, Mr. Chester entered the service of the Canadian Pacific at the Empress Hotel, Victoria. He had been assistant manager of the Royal Alexandra Hotel, Winnipeg, before coming to Regina.

Recalls Romance of Boer War

Woman Despatch Rider Who Married
British Colonel is Dead

By the death of Mrs. Catherine Vaughan, widow of Col. A. Owen Vaughan, of Dinan Point, near Cardiff, Wales, a remarkable romance of the Boer War is recalled. Mrs. Vaughan who was a relative of President Kropotkin, was a skilled horsewoman, and acted as a despatch rider for the Boers. Col. Vaughan, then leading a British force as a captain, was attacking a Boer post when the young Afrikaner woman dashed out on horseback to deliver aid to the beleaguered. As she refused to stop, Capt. Vaughan shot her horse and captured the despatch rider, whom, to his surprise, he found to be a woman. The acquaintance thus made led later to marriage. Col. Vaughan, who was better known as "Owen Boscombe," a noted Welsh historian and novelist, died eight years ago.

Previous Atlantic Flights

Aviators Who Have Made Trip During Years 1919 to 1924

May, 1919 — The United States Navy seaplane NC-4 flew from Newfoundland to Lisbon, Portugal, stopping at the Azores.

June, 1919 — Captain Alcock and Lieut. Arthur W. Brown, British aviators, flew without stop from St. John's, Newfoundland, to Clifden, Ireland, 1,960 miles.

July, 1919 — British airship R.3, flew from Scotland to New York and from New York to Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

August, 1921 — The United States round the world flier crossed from Scotland to Iceland to Greenland.

October 12, 1921 — The Zeppelin Z.R.3, now the Los Angeles, was flown from Friedrichshafen, Germany, to Lakehurst, N.J.

Winnipeg Newspaper Union

Fashion

A Smart Schoolgirl Frock

Practical yet decidedly smart is this attractive one-piece frock having the two-piece effect. The box pleated skirt is joined to the bodice and the sleeves may be long and gathered to narrow wristbands, or short. A becoming round collar finishes the neck and a trim belt fastens with a buckle in front. No. 1604 is in sizes 6, 8, 10 and 12 years. View A, size 8, requires 1 yard 29-inch plain material, and 1 1/2 yards figured. View B, size 8, requires 2 1/2 yards 29-inch, or 2 yards 44-inch contrasting. Price 29 cents the pattern.

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Remains of 400 Being Moved From Toronto for Ancestor Worship

The Chinese of Toronto are making funds to exhume the remains of 400 Chinese buried in Ontario with a view to sending them to China for reburial there. Mr. Mark of a Chinese publishing house, said that there would be at least 500 sent from Toronto, the cost being in the vicinity of \$12,000.

"It is an old custom," said Mr. Mark, and was connected with ancestor worship, the Chinese believing in the worship of the elders of their family. They believed that the spirit, that the man by virtue of the skeleton was depicted in his identity as an individual being when alive with the exception that the flesh had been dissipated by the magic of death. They believed that the spirit lived on somewhere, possibly in the skeleton, possibly not. But the bones were needed to be moved so that the heirs in China could worship them. They had to be buried there for this.

Prefers Coffee to Bone

Sunday, a Boston friar, owned by Allen Burdick, of the Police Department at New Canaan, Conn., is a genuine "coffee hound." He must have his coffee in a cup with a little sugar before he will consider even the most tempting bone.

A POPULAR MANAGER



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Not a "Vanishing Race"

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It is welcome news. We should wish the Indians well. These picturesque people form the genuinely native race of North America. Descendants of ancient nomads who most probably entered the Western Hemisphere from the Orient across the strip of land that has now perished to form the Bering Straits, the famous redskins deserve the kindly for which civilization has reserved for them.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
JUNE 5

PETER PREACHING TO GENTILES

Golden Text: "For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; for the same Lord is Lord of all, and is rich unto all that call upon him."

Lesson: Acts, Chapters 10 and 11. Devotional Reading: Psalm 67:1-7.

Explanations and Comments

1. How a Gentile Was Prepared for Discipleship. Verses 1-5. Cornelius was a Roman centurion in command at Caesarea. One night he had a vision in which an angel said to him, "Cornelius, thy prayers and thine alms have come up for a memorial before God."

Then the angel bade Cornelius to send to Joppa for Peter, who was staying with Simon the tanner by the seaside. Cornelius was a Gentile, and Jews would not enter the house of a Gentile. Yet Cornelius obeyed the command. He called two of his household servants and one of his soldiers, explained to them his vision, and sent them to Joppa.

"Great thoughts are in the air for those who are open-minded. Noble impulses crowd the highways for those who are ready to receive and act upon them." — Hamilton Wright Mabie.

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IS CHIEF CLERK



Fred S. Smith, chief clerk, Hotel Saskatchewan, Regina, has been promoted from the Royal Alexandra Hotel, Winnipeg. "Eddie" is reputed to know every man, woman or child who has been a guest at that hotel.

Made Remarkable Test

Sound of Human Heart Beat Amplified Ten Trillion Times

Washington.—The sound of a human heart beat was amplified for trillions times before the American Medical association, meeting in convention here. This was the greatest sound amplification ever achieved in history.

In the Washington auditorium building, hundreds listened spellbound while sound, like a giant treading an empty hall, filled the entire structure.

Out in the street, pedestrians paused, their ears alert to what sounded like distant cannon fire.

The main purpose of the development of the instrument—an electric microphone, was the treatment of heart diseases.

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Studying History
Of Canada

Knowledge of Dominion Best Equipment for Good Citizens

McGill University has decided to give a complete course in Canadian history for the first time in the record of that institution. The reason given for this is that the Department of History feels the necessity of allowing students a chance of obtaining a broad general knowledge of the history of the Dominion. The history of Canada will be a third year course, following a complete course on the history of the Western Hemisphere. It is designed to enable the student here to grasp trans-Atlantic conditions, the Faculty further states.

This is a step in the right direction, taken not before it was high time. These familiar with educational conditions in this country have often complained that students were taught for too little of general world history and geography; but surely it is the proper thing, and the right thing, for every student to know his own land first, and to know its history thoroughly. How otherwise can he fit himself adequately for the duties of citizenship and all they imply?

It is necessary to know what motives prompted the men who fought for freedom and liberty of ideas in the past in order to realize how Canada has grown to be what she is today. It is essential to have a clear conception of the ideal that lay behind the fight for Confederation in order to understand the problems this Dominion is facing today between East and West. A sound knowledge of one's own country is the best possible equipment for a citizen, whether he be engaged in a commercial or a professional career. McGill has moved wisely, and in the right direction, in this matter.

For Empire Unity

Premier Baldwin Says Empire is a Great Force for Righteousness

"We must devote our best energies in the years to come, Tory, Liberal and Labor alike, to make our unity such a reality that men and women will regard this Empire as one and it may become possible for them to move within its bounds to New Zealand, Australia, South Africa and Canada, as easily and freely as from Glasgow to London or Bristol to Newcastle." Premier Stanley Baldwin declared in a Victoria Day address broadcast throughout England.

Mr. Baldwin appealed to all Britons to help make the Empire a great force for righteousness in the world.

"The British Empire," he said, "is a spiritual inheritance which we hold in trust, not only for its members but for all the nations which surround it. Let us see to it that we hand it on to our successors with untarnished glory."

Signs of True Prosperity

Making Not Hoarding of Wealth Means More to Nation

Baldness and refinement are not symbols of prosperity, neither are palatial residences nor huge government buildings. For every million-dollar residence there will be a thousand hovels. The true signs of wealth and prosperity are growing crops, live stock grazing on the hill slopes, the buzz of the saw in the forest, the hum of the loom in the mill, the hum of the working mines. It is the creation of wealth, not the hoarding of it, that brings prosperity to a nation.

Unusual Insurance Policy

A \$25,000 smile adorns the face of Pat Burke, an American actress now playing here. In what is believed to be the first transaction of its kind, the actress has insured her smile for this amount with a British company.

The policy provides that the insurance shall be collectible if at any time within the next ten years her smile loses its charm because of accident or illness. The amount of the premium was not disclosed.

Not a Judge

REQUIRE A YEAR LONGER TO REACH PORT CHURCHILL

Ottawa.—Completion of the Hudson Bay Railway by May of next year if the terminal is to be Port Nelson but about a year later if it should be Port Churchill, was forecast by Hon. C. A. Dunning, minister of railways. He told of how the work is progressing both as regards getting the existing line in shape for operation and also the new construction. The highway being made is considered very satisfactory.

As between Churchill and Nelson, the minister expressed no preference, stating the decision will be based upon the best expert advice obtainable. Mr. Dunning will accompany the British engineer, Frederick Palmer, to both places at the end of July, and a number of high officials will also go along. Meanwhile, preliminary data is being collected while the investigation is on conditions on the straits is underway.

"There is no rivalry between the two potential terminals," Mr. Dunning said, "because there is no population to agitate. At Nelson a caretaker and a few others are about the only white residents while at Churchill there is only a Royal Canadian Mounted Police post. A large development, however, is foreseen when the road is finished."

Should the line go to Churchill, the road will not be completed into Nelson but deflected at a point 65 miles from there.

Meanwhile, a big rush to the north country is reported by prospectors, farmers, hunters, trappers and all sorts of people attracted by the lure of the district. It has been necessary to put on a regular weekly service in place of the wayfarers being accommodated on the construction trains.

It also is announced by the Minister of Railways that the authorities have just been concluded for all the Canadian National Railways for corporate as well as operating purposes. The shareholders all have agreed to the settlement, whereby their old securities were exchanged for the new ones authorized by Parliament last session. This adjustment removes a long standing grievance.

Better Labor Conditions

Shipbuilding on Clyde Creates Demand For Men

London.—In a little over four months the number of unemployed workers in the Clyde district has dropped by one third. The improvement is mainly due to increased activity in shipbuilding and marine engineering. There has even been a shortage of labor for some urgent jobs, and employers have shown readiness to accept apprentices, a condition that has not been apparent for years.

Future of the Dominion

Ottawa.—"Our grandchildren may even live to see the seat of Empire transferred to our shores," declared Dr. J. H. Coyne, of St. Thomas, Ont., president of the Royal Society of Canada, in discussing the future of the country at a forty-sixth annual meeting. "The future of our Dominion," he continued, "is on the whole bright with promise."

Hon. R. Lemieux Honored

Rome.—Reception and luncheon in honor of Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, speaker of the Canadian House of Commons, and Madame Lemieux, given by the British ambassador to Italy, Right Hon. Sir Ronald Graham, was attended by several English and Canadian visitors in addition to a distinguished gathering of residents of the capital.

National Thanksgiving Day

Ottawa.—Sunday, July 3, was the date set by the national committee for the celebration of the diamond jubilee of Confederation for the national (thanksgiving) day. It is proposed that the people gather at prominent centers for services of thanksgiving for the blessings that have grown out of Confederation.

Choir of 11,000 Voices

Ottawa.—A choir of 11,000 voices including 1,000 voices selected from 70 churches, irrespective of race or creed, and 10,000 school children, will sing a program of patriotic songs and anthems in connection with the jubilee celebration of the Dominion, which will be directed by the choir.

W. N. U. 1387

Would Send Boys to Canada

Isle of Man Has Scheme for Community Settlement in Dominion

Montreal.—Canada is the country to which the Isle of Man is looking for the settlement of her youth, said J. B. Crookall, J.P., mayor of Douglas and member of the House of Keys, who reached Montreal on the White Star liner Doric. Every year the Isle of Man has about 400 boys leaving school at the age of 14. A proposal is about to raise the leaving age to 15, following which the Island authorities would give them a course of training for one year to fit them for emigration. Mayor Crookall hoped that Manxmen in Canada would interest themselves in this project.

The mayor outlined a scheme he had for the community settlement of Manxmen in Canada. He proposed to send out 100 families if the Dominion Government would not advise a tract of land sufficient to provide for them, making the terms as easy as possible. About 80 per cent. of these families would be agricultural.

Prize for Pacific Flight

Hawaii Offers \$25,000 to First aviator Making Non-stop Trip

Honolulu.—The Star Bulletin, in a copyrighted article announced that James D. Dole, president of the Hawaiian Pineapple Company, has offered a purse of \$25,000 to the first aviator and his plane to make non-stop flights from the Pacific Coast to Hawaii during the 12 months starting August 15.

New York.—The Bellanca monoplane "Columbia," in which Clarence Chamberlin had hoped to be the first to fly to Hawaii, will be entered in the \$25,000 contest announced by James D. Dole in Honolulu. The Fokker monoplane "America," which also was "beaten to the post" in the Paris flight by Charles Lindbergh, may and may not try the Hawaii flight, it was said.

The Favored Country

British Labor Leader Says Emigrants' Opportunities in Canada Best in World

London.—Canada contains greater possibilities than any other country in the world provided the right kind of foundation is recognized as not to duplicate the existing workers, in the opinion of C. T. Cramp, general secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen, who has just returned from a tour of the Dominion.

Mr. Cramp was struck by the "revell" of Canadian organized labor against the domination of American unions, and the similar movement among professional associations. Canadian railways also came in for enthusiastic reference from Mr. Cramp.

New York Financier Dies

Payne Whitney, One of America's Richest Men, Victim of Heart

Manhasset, N.Y. Payne Whitney, financier, philanthropist, sportsman and one of the richest men in the country, died of a heart attack while playing tennis at his country estate, Greenport.

Mr. Whitney was 52 years old. He was the brother of Harry Payne Whitney, son of the late William C. Whitney, secretary of Navy under Cleveland. Estimates of the Whitney estate ranged in Wall Street from \$10,000,000 to \$40,000,000. In 1921 he paid an income tax of more than \$2,000,000, only John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and Henry Ford, paying more.

Postmasters' Convention

Regina, Sask.—E. P. Murphy, Ottawa, superintendent of the equipment and supply branch of the federal post office department, will represent the postmaster-general at the forthcoming convention of the Saskatchewan Postmasters' association to be held in Regina, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 7, 8 and 9. About 150 delegates are expected to be in attendance.

Cable Bill Passed

London.—The House of Lords has given third reading to the Pacific Cable bill, which has now passed both Houses. The bill authorizes reorganization of the Pacific Cable Board in accordance with the settlement of Canada's dispute with that body reached at the last imperial conference.

Plane Service For Mines

Winnipeg.—An aeroplane passenger and freight service to the central and north-western parts of the province will be inaugurated on June 1. It marks the first commercial air service to operate in the province. Western Airways, confined its operations last year to the Red Lake district of Northern Ontario.

Experiment Was a Failure

New Zealand Lost Heavily in Attempt to Control Price of Butter

Vancouver.—New Zealand's little attempt to fix the price of butter on the London market and the boycott by London buyers of more than a million boxes, or actually, 55,000,000 pounds, that were allowed to accumulate in cold storage in Britain in April, have been factors in the shortage of butter supplies in Canada during the past five months.

The action of British merchants in buying butter from Argentina, Australia and Canada, while leaving New Zealand's price-controlled stocks severely alone, withdrew from Canada heavy supplies that normally would have been available for home requirements. It is said here.

As a result, Canadian butter dealers have been scrambling for immediate requirement for months, picking up stray stocks here and there and everywhere, some being brought back from London, some from Quebec, some imported from the United States, and a total of about seven million pounds shipped direct from New Zealand.

The lateness of the season in Canada has also been a factor in the shortage here, spring production being about a month later than usual.

RUSSIAN TRADE AGREEMENT IS TO BE ABROGATED

Ottawa.—The Government has decided to terminate immediately the trade agreement with Russia, it was announced following a lengthy meeting of the cabinet council.

President King, in making the announcement, declared this action had been decided upon after a full discussion of the situation created through the decision of the British Government to sever its relations with Soviet Russia. Evidence in the hands of the Canadian Government made it clear, the Premier said, that certain sections of the agreement between Canada and Russia had been violated by the Russian Government.

President King pointed out that the agreement was subject to termination unless certain conditions were fulfilled. He specifically quoted a provision agreed to refrain "from hostile action or undertakings against the other and from conduct of war outside of its own borders any official propaganda direct or indirect against the interests of the British Empire or the Union of Soviet Republics respectively."

President King stated emphatically that termination of trade agreements would not mean discontinuation of trade between Canada and Russia. It would mean that certain quasi-diplomatic privileges enjoyed by the Russian trade commission would be terminated, but every effort would be continued to further trade between Canada and Russia in the same manner in which Canadian trade relations with other nations were conducted.

The Premier said evidence in the hands of the Canadian Government does not disclose any compromise or subversive propaganda so far as the Montreal office of the Russian trade commission is concerned.

Ox-Tongue Falls, Lake of Bays



Throughout the Lake of Bays region of the Highlands of Ontario, the members of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association will visit when holding their 1927 convention at Bigwin Lake, there are many beautiful waterfalls of which Ox-Tongue Falls shown above is one—Canadian National Railway photograph.

WOULD DEVELOP CANADIAN TRADE WITH BRITAIN

London.—"I am here to visit Canadian trade commissioners in Britain and on the continent and to acquaint myself more fully with the possibilities the markets here offer for Canadian products," Hon. James Malcolm, Canadian minister of trade and commerce, told newsmen in an interview. He added that he was more particularly desirous of increasing inter-empire trade, of which he had been a constant advocate.

The minister mentioned the grant of \$100,000 made by the Canadian government for advertising Canadian goods in Britain. To secure the best means of applying the money was an important object of his visit, he said.

Mr. Malcolm acknowledged that the figures of Canadian trade with Britain lately had shown a decrease, through the lessened ability of Britain to purchase Canadian products, although Canadian purchases from Britain showed a slight increase. He believed adequate publicity would soon help to correct the balance. There was always, he said, some unreliability about statistics and they did not insinuate any criticism of the quality of trade between two countries like Canada and Britain.

Trade With U.S.

Canada Regarded by U.S. as Best Outside Field for Investment

Detroit, Mich. — Business of the United States made an eloquent gesture of admiration for its neighbor to the north when the National Foreign Trade Convention turned over an entire session to Canada and Canadians.

Speakers with only one exception were Canadians. They spoke of their great commerce in hard wheat and pulpwood, of their other export trade and of the growing interest of Americans in Canada, as attested by their investment of \$2,699,000,000 within the Dominion. Sixty per cent. of all foreign investments in Canada came from the United States. The convention was told by Case R. Howland, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, New York.

"We take it as a compliment," he added, "that Canada is regarded in the United States as the best outside field of investment, and we interpret it as an indication of the estimate placed by the United States upon the character and ability of Canadians."

Agree on Claims

Washington. — The British and United States governments have agreed on a settlement of mutual claims and those of individuals against both governments for seizure of wartime property. The settlement are being withheld, pending an arrangement for publication of final notes ratifying the pact. The claims grew out of detention and search during the war on shipping of both countries suspected of carrying war supplies to the enemy.

Will Compete in Prize Swim

Montreal.—Ernest Vierkotte, Germany's foremost swimmer and conqueror of the English Channel, has arrived in Montreal. He will participate in the Lake George swim for a prize of \$10,000 and later go to Toronto, where he will take part in the \$50,000 race to be held in Lake Ontario off the Queen City during the summer.

Investigating Plan to Use Sulphite Wastage

Scientists See Possibility of Making Substitute for Gasoline

Ottawa.—Canadian scientists are investigating the possibility of the manufacture of a substitute for gasoline out of the wastage in the manufacture of sulphite throughout the Dominion. It was revealed at a meeting of the associate committees of physics and engineering of the National Research Council of Canada here.

The sulphite mills, it was declared, in the manufacture of pulp for newsprint are wasting at the same time tremendous quantities of liquor which is a potential source of alcohol. Properly designed motors have been found to operate efficiently on a mixture of alcohol and gasoline.

The committee also recommended today that the national research council investigate steps to secure detailed information on the measurement of the ultra-violet rays given off by the sun. It can be shown that great benefit is to be obtained from these rays then, it is recommended, that special glass should be universally used in Canadian homes and other buildings. The health giving ultra-violet rays do not, to any great extent, pass through ordinary window glass.

Building New Telegraph Line

Work Will Commence at Once in Northern Saskatchewan District

North Battleford.—Construction is to proceed on a telegraph line between Loon Lake and Meadow Lake. The distance is 55 to 60 miles. The line will serve to link up the Meadow Lake country with the splendid farming sections farther west. It will be a means of communication for those northern people with the outside world, something they have not at present.

The representation being made to the department by the Federal member an appropriation of \$8,000 was put through Parliament for the building of the line. The government is ready to act at once on the building of the line. The office to be established on the line will be settled just as soon as possible.

Great Interest Being Taken in Eclipse

English Railways Will Run Special Trains to Witness Points

London.—The eclipses of the sun which will be observed by a portion of England, June 15, is arousing such interest that railway and motor bus companies are preparing to carry thousands of excursionists to the best viewing points in England where the sun will be best. More than 100 special trains and hundreds of motor buses will carry their passengers to the biggest open air party ever known in England. Most of the participants expect to arrive at vantage points around midnight.

WILL OBSERVE LUNAR ECLIPSE IN FAR NORTH

New York, N.Y.—The outposts of civilization in the Canadian Arctic wilderness have been asked by radio to aid the Harvard University Observatory in observing on June 15 the first lunar eclipse since 1882. Observers in the northern country in the region of Chesterfield Inlet, Bear Lake, Rampart House and Good Hope had a message of instruction broadcast to them recently. Directions for the observation of this rare lunar phenomenon, addressed to members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, representatives of the Hudson's Bay Company and Revillon Freres Trading Company, and the Eskimo missionary fathers among the Eskimos, was broadcast in part as follows:

"A total eclipse of the moon will occur on June 15, 1927. The centre of the eclipse being at 234 and Eastern Standard Time. The sun and moon will both be nearly on the horizon on the day and hour mentioned, at the posts to which this message is addressed."

"It is of great scientific interest to know as exactly as possible what the weather conditions are at that particular time at points near this line. Baker Lake is the most important point of all and the astronomers would appreciate any special efforts to procure observations there."

According to Dr. Willard J. Fisher, of Harvard, it should be possible this year to determine the density of the earth's shadow very near to the edge of the earth.

ACTIVITIES OF SOVIET AGENTS COME TO LIGHT

London.—It was stated in official circles that the names of hundreds of persons in Great Britain, including a number of members of Parliament, as well as persons more or less known in North America and other parts of the world, in addition to those published in the white paper, have come to the hands of the Government during its investigation of alleged Soviet activities.

So far as is known, the names of the members of the Parliament will not be made public, as it is understood the Government has no intention of taking what cabinet members consider advantage of their special information to further their case against the Russians.

In parliamentary lobby circles, however, it is thought likely the names may be made known to the press, which has many more or less leading in the situation may be used as a check upon certain sections inclined to oppose the Government's moves and decisions.

A Government spokesman attributed several Australian shipping strikes in the last two years solely to Soviet agents, who, he said, went to that country to spread propaganda, stir up trouble and further Moscow's aims.

The British Government made no attempt to publish some of the 16 documents alleged to have been uncovered in the recent sensational raid on Soviet House, in London, headquarters of the Soviet trade delegation to the United Kingdom. The Russian commercial organization.

It issued a white paper containing the documents to illustrate, as the spokesman said, "the hostile activities of the Soviet Government and the threat to international peace against Great Britain."

The most interesting part of the contents from an internationalist point of view from a British standpoint was a list of addresses allegedly found in the possession of Anton Blum, a Soviet cipher clerk, who Premier Baldwin told the House of Commons in his Tuesday's speech, was found hurriedly burning the papers in his office when the raiders appeared.

Want Canada to Attend Air Meeting

Invitation to Attend Inter-American Convention is Suggested

Washington.—Canada will be invited to join other countries on the American continent in an Inter-American flying convention, if the recommendation of the American Pan-American congress this year. At the commercial conference of members of the Pan-American union, just concluded here, the Argentine delegate, Felipe Engel, recommended that the governing body of the union study ways and means of bringing Canada into the flying convention which all republics on this continent have in mind. Mr. Engel's suggestion was placed in the record and will be considered by the governing board of the Union before the flying convention is concluded.

Ferguson Willing to Co-Operate

Toronto.—Premier Ferguson stated that he would co-operate with the Alberta Trade Commissioner in the proposed laid before the Ontario Government by a delegation from Alberta that a national committee be organized to promote inter-provincial trade, with special emphasis on the use of Alberta coal in the Eastern provinces.

Check Fever Epidemic

Montreal.—Preventive measures taken by provincial and municipal officials to check the spread of the present typhoid epidemic are working successfully, health authorities claim. It was predicted that within one month the epidemic would be stamped out.

Arms Parley in June

Washington.—The three-power naval limitations conference called by President Coolidge will convene in Geneva on the afternoon of June 25. Secretary of State Kellogg announced that the British and Japanese ambassadors after informal conversations had shown the date acceptable to all.

Radio Typewriter

Rome.—A typewriter capable of receiving radiotelegraph communications from great distances is to be tested between Rome and New York shortly. The machine functions automatically, typing on ordinary paper, guided by radio waves.

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sertions which are cash. All Job
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Here and There

Two million dollars will be spent
in the Central Manitoba mineral
area on development work this year.
Improved navigation and highway
into this district are included in
the activities of the Mining Bureau
of the Winnipeg Board of Trade.

The development of the muskrat
industry five miles south of Revel-
stoke will be proceeded with forth-
with this year, 100 acres having already
been fenced in by the Revelstoke
Muskrat Fur Breeders' Association.

Eight hundred families from
Switzerland are expected to come
out to Western Canada to settle
during 1927, according to the Act-
ing Consul for Switzerland. There
are thriving Swiss settlements in
Notre Dame de Lourdes, Manitoba,
and Stettler, Alberta.

Canada's chemical industry re-
corded an increase of \$7,500,000 in
sales during 1926, as compared with
the previous year, according to the
Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Pro-
duction by 533 plants was valued at
\$120,369,518, as against \$113,000,-
600 for the previous year.

Ottawa's memorial ceiling, to be
installed in the new Victory Tower
at the Capital, arrived in Canada
May 29 on the Canadian Pacific
steamship "Balfour." The huge
bells, weighing in all about 53 tons,
will constitute one of the finest sets
in the world. They were cast at
the Croyden bell foundry in Eng-
land.

Word comes from the Engineer-
ing Department of the Canadian
Pacific Railway that when the Banff
Springs Hotel opens on May 15th,
for the summer season, the north
wing of the building will have been
completed and ready for occupancy.
Next year at the same date the
south wing will have been rebuilt,
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venience to a host of teachers, as
well as to professional men and
business men and women, vacation
bent.

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nipeg, from which point a special
train of modern sleeping car equip-
ment, dining car and radio obser-
vation car, will leave July 4th.
The party will be personally con-
ducted by an efficient and experi-
enced representative of the Cana-
dian National.

After stopping at various points
of interest, the train will arrive at
Prince Rupert on July 9th. At
this latter point the party will em-
bark on a palatial steamship for a
cruise of 550 miles through the
famous "Inside Passage" to Van-
couver. While the tour termi-
nates at Vancouver, those who de-
sire to make a trip to Victoria
may have their tickets read "Vic-
toria" as their destination without
any additional cost.

This mode of travel has many
advantages. In the first place, it
is planned with a view to includ-
ing in the itinerary the most in-
teresting points, which, with the
other arrangements that are made
obviates the passenger worrying
about connections, sleeping car ac-
commodations, meals, and enter-
tainment enroute. This is all
done in advance by experts, leav-
ing the passenger free to enjoy
to the full the scenery and attrac-
tions attendant to such tours.

The local agent of the Canadian
National Railways will be pleased
to give you full particulars of this
tour.

Municipal Dist. No. 398

Notice is hereby given that if
all arrears of taxes imposed in
1926 in respect of any parcel of
land situated within this Municip-
ality are not paid on or before
the 1st day of July next, such
land will be dealt with under the
provisions of the Tax Recovery
Act, 1922, with a view of obtain-
ing certificate of title in the name
of the municipality in respect of
such parcel.

Dated at Alix this 7th day of
June 1927.

W. L. PETTET,
Sec.-Treas. M.D. No. 398

A great future for tobacco grow-
ing in Western Ontario is predicted
by the Hon. J. S. Martin, Provincial
Minister of Agriculture, who states
that counties engaged in this in-
dustry have demonstrated that they
can grow as fine tobacco leaf as Ken-
tucky or Virginia. A number of ex-
perts have been engaged, he an-
nounced, to visit new growers and
give them all information possible.

Supervising 200 Norwegian set-
tlers, including wives and children,
from the districts of Nottodden, Hed-
dal and Valdres sections of Nor-
way, Eric Flatbo, chief clerk in
the Canadian Pacific Railway off-
ices at Bergen, saw the settlers off
for Winnipeg from the Windsor Sta-
tion, Montreal, fifty of the party
are going straight to relatives. Mr.
Flatbo estimates that some 600 per-
sons from the districts named will
eventually come to Western Canada.

Via Canadian Pacific Railway re-
cently there was forwarded to His
Holiness the Pope an album of
photographs of the Canadian Rock-
ies offered by E. W. Beatty, Chair-
man and President of the system,
following the suggestion made by
a prominent Canadian citizen who
had described the Canadian Rockies
to His Holiness in an interview some
time ago. A wish for a book show-
ing views of the mountains was ex-
pressed by the Pope whose wish was
conveyed to Mr. Beatty. The album
is fully bound in white kid.

Women's Meetings

United Church Sunday School
executive 3rd Wednesday.

The W. I. meet the 1st Satur-
day in every month.

Lake Bend Community Club
last Wednesday of each month

Ladies Aid 2nd Thursday in
each month.

W. A. 3rd Thursday of each
month.

Ripley Ladies Aid meets 3rd
Thursday of each month.

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It is expected that work will
commence on the new Town
Hall next week.

In next week's issue will ap-
pear the system of signals for
fire, etc., of the C.N.R. whistle

Be sure and see Tom Mix at
the Grand on Friday and Sat-
urday evenings. It is worth
seeing.

The baseball boys journeyed
Clive last week and handed the
team of that town its first de-
feat, the score being 6-2. Both
teams put up a good article of
ball, but Clive was unable to
touch Hyatt's pitching while C.
McCormick starred at the bat.
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been playing good ball and de-
serves the whole-hearted sup-
port of the town and district at
the home games.

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